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Subject: 2019 New Post Season Format

Freshmen Division - American Conference

- **First Round** - Post Season Saturday 10/26/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- **1ST. & 2ND. Place Regular Season Finisher will receive First Round Byes.**
- **3rd. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 6th. Place Regular Season Finisher.**
- **4th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 5th. Place Regular Season Finisher.**
- **7th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 8th. Place Regular Season Finisher in a consolation game without the ability to advance to the next round of play.**

Freshmen Division - American Conference

- **Second Round - Simi Finals** - Post Season Saturday 11/2/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- **1ST. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the lowest remaining Seed from Round (1).**
- **2ND. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the highest remaining Seed from Round (1).**

Freshmen Division - American Conference

- **League Championship** - Saturday 11/9/19 Time & Location T.B.A
- **The remaining (2) teams will face off to determine the American Conference League Champion.**

Freshmen Division - National Conference

- **First Round** - Post Season Saturday 10/26/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- **1ST. & 2ND. Place Regular Season Finisher will receive First Round Byes.**
- **3rd. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 6th. Place Regular Season Finisher.**
- **4th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 5th. Place Regular Season Finisher.**

- 7th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 8th. Place Regular Season Finisher in a consolation game without the ability to advance to the next round of play.

Freshmen Division – National Conference

- **Second Round - Simi Finals** - Post Season Saturday 11/2/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- 1ST. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the lowest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.
- 2ND. Place Regular Season Finisher will play highest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.

Freshmen Division - National Conference

- **League Championship** - Saturday 11/9/19 Time & Location T.B.A
- The remaining (2) teams will face off to determine the National Conference League Champion.

Sophomore, J.V., & Varsity Divisions - American Conference

- **First Round** - Post Season Saturday 10/26/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- 1ST. & 2ND. **Place Regular Season Finisher will receive First Round Byes.**
- 3rd. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 6th. Place Regular Season Finisher.
- 4th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 5th. Place Regular Season Finisher.
- 7th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 8th. Place Regular Season Finisher
- 9th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 10th. Place Regular Season Finisher
Seeds **(7)** thru **(10)** will play in consolation games without the ability to advance to the next round of play.

Sophomore, J.V., & Varsity Divisions - American Conference

- **Second Round - Simi Finals** - Post Season Saturday 11/2/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- 1ST. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the lowest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.
- 2ND. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the highest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.

Sophomore, J.V., & Varsity Divisions - American Conference

- **League Championship** - Saturday 11/9/19 Time & Location T.B.A
- The remaining (2) teams will face off to determine the American Conference League Champion.

Sophomore Division – National Conference

- **First Round** - Post Season Saturday 10/26/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- 1ST. & 2ND. **Place Regular Season Finisher will receive First Round Byes.**
- 3rd. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 6th. Place Regular Season Finisher.
- 4th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 5th. Place Regular Season Finisher.
- 7th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 8th. Place Regular Season Finisher.
- 9th. Place Regular Season Finisher will be eliminated from post season.
Seeds **(7)** & **(8)** will play in a consolation game without the ability to advance to the next round of play.
- **Sophomore Division - National Conference**

- **Second Round - Simi Finals** - Post Season Saturday 11/2/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
 - 1ST. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the lowest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.
 - 2ND. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the highest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.
 - **Sophomore Division – National Conference**
 - **League Championship** - Saturday 11/9/19 Time & Location T.B.A
 - The remaining (2) teams will face off to determine the National Conference League Champion.
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J.V. & Varsity Divisions – National Conference

- **First Round** - Post Season Saturday 10/26/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- 1ST. & 2ND. **Place Regular Season Finisher will receive First Round Byes.**
- 3rd. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 6th. Place Regular Season Finisher.
- 4th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 5th. Place Regular Season Finisher.
- 7th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 8th. Place Regular Season Finisher
- 9th. Place Regular Season Finisher will play 10th. Place Regular Season Finisher
Seeds **(7)** thru **(10)** will play in consolation games without the ability to advance to the next round of play.

J.V. & Varsity Divisions - National Conference

- **Second Round - Simi Finals** - Post Season Saturday 11/2/19 Time & Locations T.B.A
- 1ST. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the lowest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.
- 2ND. Place Regular Season Finisher will play the highest remaining Seed from Round **(1)**.

J.V. & Varsity Divisions - National Conference

- **League Championship** - Saturday 11/9/19 Time & Location T.B.A
- The remaining (2) teams will face off to determine the National Conference League Champion.

Post Season - Seeding Criteria for all Divisions:

1. **Best Conference record.** * (Out of conference games **are not** utilized for post season seeding purposes regardless of division).
2. **Head to Head in Conference.**
3. **Points allowed in conference.**
4. **Points scored in conference.**
5. **Coin toss (Final Phase).**

*In the event of a tie record:

Phase (2) Head to Head in Conference winner will receive the higher seed.

Phase (3) If all respective teams have identical In – Conference Records and have beaten each other respectively and the “Head to Head Process cannot be utilized, we will go to the most points allowed in Conference Scenario. The

team and or teams that have allowed the fewest points scored in conference will receive the higher seed.

Phase (4) If all respective teams have identical conference records and have beaten each other respectively and have all allowed the same points in Conference, we will go to the most points scored in conference scenario with the team or teams scoring the most points in conference receiving the higher seed.

Phase (5) – Final Seeding phase. If phase (1) thru (4) cannot break the tie, a multi - party coin toss will be conducted with the odd team out.

Golden Empire Youth Tackle Football reserves to right to adjust, change, or modify the post season format at any time.